FARE RAISE HEARING 540 U. S. CITIZENS FOES OF DRASTIC IS SET FOR JULY 25

Utilities Commission to Name Actual Date at Meeting Wednesday.

The public hearing on the four petitions of the Washington Railway and Electric Company for an increase in fares will probably be held July

The next meeting of the Public Utilities Commission will be held next Wednesday, A date for the hearing will be set then, it is believed. The commission will have to allow ten days after notifying interested parties, to pass before calling a hearing. None of the citizens associations

of the District have as yet taken any action regarding these petitions, but it is expected they will leave the matter in the hands of the Federation of Citizens' Association, which, now is preparing a brief to present at the

There will not be a separate hearing on each petition, it was learned

The company is asking of the com-

A straight 7-cent fare in the city, retaining the 2-cent transfer. A straight 7-cent fare on three subsidlary lines. Washington Interur- day by the police to prevent another rigid enforcement of prohibition. ban, City and Suburban and George- attack on women in the suburbs of town and Tenleytown, with no Washington and in Montgomery transfer privilege, pay or otherwise. This means that persons living on downtown or return home, It is hardly likely all of these re-

quests will be granted.

To determine whether saccharine is used in soft drinks and sodas in Wash- the Home Defense League, at the ington in place of sugar, Dr. William scenes of the attack on Miss Saun- made an earnest plea for amendments C. Fowler, today began an investiga- ders and the other women. tion. He has instructed Dr. M. A. Pozen and Dr. R. R. Ashworth to ob- negro suspects taken into custody read into the record a number of

a thorough analysis. The use of this sugar substitute is dangerous to the health of the people dragnet. of Washington, especially children, Dr. Fowler says. If saccharine is. used here, he intimated he would take drastic action.

PARIS, July 12 .- The Council Five began issuing instructions today on the cessation of the blockade against Russia, its maintenance being rendered most difficult by the official decree abolishing the barriers around Germany. American delegates also held it was not legal.

Italy filed a claim today asking that she be granted the Austrian concession in Tien Tsin, China, the peace treaty now providing that the con-

GOMPERS AND ENVOYS SAIL FOR AMSTERDAM CONFAB

mart in an international trade union vised it. congress at Amsterdam July 16 Samuel Gompers, Daniel J. Tobin, and American Federation of Labor, sailed on the Mauretania. The meettrade union agreement or an international labor federation. German delegates, according to

Gompers, probably will attend.

MRS. WILCOX RETURNING.

mailed on the Aquitania for the United while they stood at attention and then places. States yesterday. Mrs. Wilcox was regaled themselves with jazz numwhere she has been seriously ill for celebrated with a bottle of ginger weeks, to the dock at Southampton. | pop.

DETROIT, July 12.-William Rosex was all "lit up." police found when banditry-two highwaymen threw they stopped his car because the tail peepper in O. E. Pillison's face and light was out. Fifty-six quarts of told him to "cough up." They got so much better. "I simply will not; Finally father summed up the

"What'll

miled

Susan e

SLAIN IN MEXICO **SINCE 1910**

NEW YORK, July 12 .- From data on file in the office of the National Association for the Protection of American Rights in Mexico, a list of 317 American citizens murdered in Mexico since December, 1910, has been compiled. The list is far from complete, the number murdered being esti-

mated at 540. No reparation has even been obtained by the United States Government in any of these cases, and in the majority of instances not even a formal protest has been filed with the Mexican government, nor have reports on many of these outrages, on file in the State Department at Washington, been made public.

county. More than fifty policemen and dethese subsidiary lines will be forced tectives have been scattered through drastic, he added, "as it had been to pay at least 14 cents to journey the suburbs, with orders to arrest when submitted to the committee by who tallies in any way with the and the patent medicine interests." tacked a number of Washington he asserted. women recently.

It was at 3 o'clock last Saturday afternoon that Miss Mary Saunders, War Department employe, was chusetts, and Upshaw, of Georgia, beaten into insensibility and assault- both Democrats, touched upon the exed in a stretch of woods near her tremes of the whole prohibition queshome at Somerset Heights.

at large, might make another at- example of the folly of attempting to licemen, including many members of found it in the liquor traffic.

tain samples of these drinks and make have been eliminated, the police be- documents to show that the measure lieve that the negro assailant of the as now drawn would probably ruin women will soon be caught in the the manufacture of extracts and

that the negro fiend has fied the city. the country. Members of Piney Branch Citizens' Association, at a meeting last night. 4 PER CENT BEER O. K. iscussed the apparent handicap of the police because of an insufficiency of police, and voted to assist the po ice and the Home Defense League in helping to catch the negro. The meetng was addressed by Odell S. Smith. and three-quarters per cent beer inacting director of the Home Defense League: Capt. Thomas Judge, of Tenth precinct; Lieut. J. L. Giles, of the Teneytown police precinct, and E. S. Henderson, president of the association.

boys, as they lay in the trenches of cession revert to China for interna- France, dreamed for months of the big parade they'd have when they got back to "Lil ol' New York" with the Seventy-seventh division.

Then shrapnel hit them-and when their division marched through the metropolis some weeks ago they were YORK, July 12.-To take give up their dream-they just re- this year, and the United States, also Graefe says. So yesterday Private "Slim" Ed-

John J. Hynes, representing the Private "Red" Davis, short, fat and chief mining engineer of the Bureau also freckled, held their own parade. of Mines, Department of the Interior, ing, according to Gompers, is for the troopship from Brest, they "fell in" tion of European coal fields. purpose of formulating international at the Battery today and paraded up July 12 -- Mrs. Ella reached the park they hired a hurdy- hour is consumed in going between Wheeler Wilcox, the famous poet, zurdy to play the national anthem the shaft base and the working conveyed in an ambulance from Bath, bers while they sat on the grass and

> BANDITS USE PEPPER TULSA, Okla., July 12.-Civilized

DRY LAW INCREASE

(Continued from First Page.) was time to give, with everybody wanting a word. Time and again there was the droning call, "The gentleman asks permission to extend and revise his remarks." The Senate will not begin actual

States May Have to Act. law for such enforcement cannot become effective without concurrent ac-

principal "dry" argument against the measure was made by Congressman Moon, Democrat, of Tennessee, who declared that unless t was materially amended he would feel in duty bound to vote against it or else express his disapproval by not voting at all.

Charges were reiterated during the discussion that the measure was largely drawn by the general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, and that anti-liquor organizations had given warning that no man need hope to become nominee for President ner Every precaution is being taken to- year unless he stood squarely for

Congressman Gard, in opposing the bill, said it was so drastic that people would rise up in wrath against its enforcement, but it was not half so every negro who acts suspiciously and counsel for the Anti-Saloon League description of the fiend who has at- Many changes still were necessary,

Congressmen Fitzgerald of Massation, the former declaring he would Fearing that the negro, who is still put forward the State of Maine as an tempt to assault a woman, Major enforce a dry law. Mr. Upshaw made Raymond W. Pullman, Superintendent a straight appeal for passage of the of Police, has placed a corden of po- bill, after reciting the evil as he

Congressman Benson of Maryland which would safeguard the flavoring While all but two of nearly 200 extract industry. The Marylander thereby work an unnecessary hard-It is the opinion of some policemen ship upon almost every household in

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 12,-Two toxicating?

Certainly not, says Rhode Island. The police commissioners of Provi dence announced today they would issue licesses on the theory that beer 4 per cent alcohol in strength is not intoxicating. Beer containing that sale unless Congress intervenes.

Having landed yesterday from a recently returned from an investiga-

10.000,000 tons to be cared for out-

were destroyed by the Germans. suffer most severely, having imported 10,000,000 tons during 1913. among them being the Pittsburgh Coal Company and the Consolidation

000 tons, although the record year's

pacity for supplying coal is 750 000 -

orps, declared here today: Those people are wrong who

FRIENDS OF FREE IRELAND COMMEND STAND BY TIMES And Other Precious Stones

Padraic Pearse Branch of the Friends

Pretty Typist and Fiance Who Killed Her On Auto Ride



MISS FRIEDA J. LESSER AND HARRY S. NEW. The pretty victim of the California tragedy which has brought to light a romance of thirty years ago. Miss Lesser was shot and killed by her sweetheart, Harry S. New, in the lonely Topango Canyon, near Santa Monica, Cal. New's mother, Mrs. Lulu Burger, of Indiana, claims United States Senator Harry S. New of Indiana as her boy's father, and says the noted statesman will surely come

Thieves Have Gala Night; Do 24 Jobs; Get Woman's Silk Hose, Also Rowboat

than \$3,650 worth of loot was taken ings were stolen from her home. by thieves in the twenty-four thefts & Alden, let the police know yesterreported to the police last night and day that he had been robbed of a diathis morning. The burglaries con- mond ring, worth more than \$1.000, by sisted of vehicles, money and jewelry, an expert thief. Several hours after amount or less will be authorized for and varied miscellany-ranging from a suspect had disappeared it was (Shelley); incidental solos, Mrs. to a horse and wagon, a woman's had been left in place of the genuine waist and silk stockings-and a row- ring.

While three daring hold-up men vere going to the trouble of "sticking up" persons and robbing them of less than \$5, a light fingered crook worth \$50, diamond ring worth \$50 for the genuine triple set ring in a prominent F street jewelry store. And seven quarts of high-grade whiskey, valued Rock Creek Church road, also report-Labor conditions in Europe in the at \$33 were missed from the home of Lewis A. Baker, of 4016 Illinois avenue northwest. A blacksmith's forge has been taken

from the Union Iron Works, C. L.

Steal Autos and "Bikes." Several modes of transportation are epresented in the thefts.

Five bicycles were included in the coadster, the property of Congressman Edward King of Illinois was taken from in front of the New Win ston Hotel, Howard Doyle reported. Lieut, Samuel F. Mark, U. S. N., of 1353 Parkwood place northwest, had his tourning car stelen from in fron of the New Arlington apartments. . horse and wagon was taken from the rear of the Municipal Fish Market, the property of Ike Armstead, of This will mean in England a reduc- 1311 Wylle's court northeast. The Harbor police that a rowboat has been police force, says he will propose. missed from the docks of the Washington Yacht Club, at Twining City.

Yeast Company, R. C. Duvall, of 316 street northeast, said that his ga-Italy probably will be the nation to southeast, had a tire on a rim taken duty. from his car early this morning. Thomas Davis, of 1117 Water street southwest, told the police that his ready are preparing to come to the 1919 model touring car, with four new among them being the Pittsburgh tires and full equipment, was stolen Liberty and Victory from his garage at 1109 E street Coal Company. America's yearly ca-

southwest. "Dip" Nips a Fiver. A "dip" took a \$5 bill from the output, 1918, showed only 600,000,000 pocket of Leonard Moeller, of 916 CASHED AT HIGHEST Eighth street southwest, while in front of the city postoffice. Russell Hutchinson, of 1206 Bank street northwest, was held up by colored We Also Pay Cash for men early this morning, and his cash, \$4.50, was stolen. Henry Iseman, of 141 Eleventh street southeast, was also held up in an alley of Temple court southwest. He lost \$4.96. In both cases heavy revolvers were pointed in the faces of the men. While she was negotiating a sale of rags to a colored man, Mollie Edwards, of 1210 Potomac avenue southeast, says kitchen, grabbed a tin can containing

Furnished and Purchased DIAMOND EXPERTS 361 PENNA. AVE. PHONE MAIN 5382

for Manufacturing, Purposes.

DEATH RIDE STORY OF NEW IS SHAKEN

(Continued from First Page.) New with some other man who looks like him. A score of persons who attended the dance will be summoned to settle the question. New's life

may hinge on the result. Ample funds have been supplied from some source not stated, to provide an elaborate defense for New, it was learned today. Richardson briefly outlined the

fight to save New as follows: New will not be a witness in his defense at the preliminary hearing Monday or at the trial of the case. Mrs. Burger will be called as a witness at the trial to tell the whole story of her son's life. She claims Senator New is the father of the prisoner. When Mrs. Burger takes the wit-

ness stand she will be prepared to disclose the story of her romance with Senator New some thirty-five years ago, and to testify that a son was born to them and that this boy is the accused. Mrs. Lulu M. Burger, mother of

young New, asserts that her son has suffered a complete mental break-"My boy's mind has snapped," Mrs. Burger declared.

Mrs. Burger, who came to Los An geles to fight for her son's life, said today that she will not appeal for help to Senator New. Meanwhile, Mrs., Alice Lesser,

mother of the dead girl, is in a critical condition at her home in Tropico. She was said today to be sinking. Her great worry is over the stain of imnorality on her daughter's name.

LARGEST MAN IN

tinction of being the largest man in northwest ,and took several articles. the army overseas, has joined the ocal police force. He stands 6 feet 91/2 inches in his stocking feet and weighs 278 pounds. His home is in-Smithfield, W. Va.

SPECIAL MUSIC TOMORROW AT CHURCH OF EPIPHANY

At the Church of the Epiphany tomorrow the music, in charge of Willdescriptive of the Ninety-fourth Psalm "O, Lord God, to whom vengeance be longeth," by Reubke.

At the 11 a. m. service the musica program will be: Organ prelude, "Of fertoire," D flat (Salome); "Te Deum' (Boskerck), with incidental solos by Mr. Anderson and Mr. Durkin; offertory, "Hark, Hark, My Soul" blacksmith forges to whiskey, then found that an imitation diamond ring Brown and Miss Forrester; organ for public distribution. postlude, "Grand Chorus," E flat (Guilmant).

postlude, "March," B flat (Silas). | engravings of them,

Giant Icebergs Circle Fishermen in Labrador; D. C. FOOD PROBE Season Total Failure

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 12 .- Unprecented ice fields, stretching for hundreds of miles from the north coast, probably mean a total failure for the Labrador fishing industry, with a resultant huge loss to Canada, it was declared today on the arrival of the ice breaker, Terra Nova, at Labrador. The crew of the ship reported ice only 100 miles north of Battle Harbor. Hundreds of fishing schooners are locked in the field. Crews of four motor boats were removed by the Terra Nova. Three hundred persons, the en-tire population of Hebron Okak, were aboard the Terra Nova two weeks, surrounded by ice.

ing the last two weeks, James R. Steel, sixteen years old, 1517 First gin of profit is excrisive. street northwest; Robert H. Jamison, Reports have been brought to the arraigned in court on Monday.

The youths, the police say, acknowljewelry and War Savings Stamps, the Saulsbury act expires. They also are charged with robbing Mrs. M. L. Croxall, at Cabin John, Md., of a suitcase, packing it with valuables. During last week, it is charged, they entered the home of Mrs. Thomas H. Carter, wife of the former Senator from Montana, and stole several hundred dollars' worth of goods, Enterprise. Stolen goods were found WEIRTON, W. Va., July 12 .- John and on July 7 they entered the home in the houses to which the dogs led Lindsey Carroll, who had the dis- of Charles Hyves, at 14443 U street the officers. Though their loot aggregated neary \$2,000, it is said by the police, less than \$100 was realized on it. Detectivees Thompson, Morgan,

Scrivener, Armstrong and Embrey arested the youths. Erma Kleneber, eighteen, of Baltinore, was found in a room at 523 Sixth street, occupied by the youths by the detectives, who placed her in the House of Detention pending an

investigation.

An urgent cable message was sent to Paris today by the Senate Printing Committee, which has been ordered to print the peace treaty, including maps,

The maps President Wilson brought home won't reproduce legibly, the At the 8 p. m. service: Offertory, committee found, hence the original "Hear My Prayer" (Mendelssohn); in- maps must be obtained from Paris or cidental solo, Mrs. Brown; organ arrangements made there for phote-

TO START MONDAY

Senate Also to Investigate Rentals and Increased Cost of Shoes.

Scnator Sherman, chairman of the Senate District Committee, announced loday that his committee had made definite plans to go ahead with the investigation of food prices in the District, next Monday.

The investigation will include not only the prices of food commodities, but the cost of rent and the increased cost of shoes.

Senator Sherman has called a meeting of the committee for Monday afternoon. He will ask the Senate to adopt a resolution giving the committee full powers of investigation. Plans for procedure will be outlined Monday afternoon, Senator Sherman said, and hearings will begin shortly afterward.

The committee will first go into the Confessing, according to the police, wholesale and jobbing prices. Then it o having robbed three houses in will take up the retail prices to de-Washington and two in Maryland dur- termine if the margin of profit to the retailers is too great. Schator Sherman said he believes the present mar-

twenty, of 1704 Church street north- attention of the Senate committee that west, and Raymond T. Sisler, twenty- the prices of shoes in Washington are four, of 1508 Thirtieth street north about to be increased. He said the west, are under arrest. They will be committee would lose no time in prob-

ing this. The whole question of rentals will edge having entered the homes of be investigated by the committee, is lames Potbury and Eleanor Chad view of reports to the committee that wick, in Chevy Chase, and stealing rents are to be increased as soon as

DOGS LEAD TO BOOTY.

ENTERPRISE; W .Va., July 12 .-Samuel Sprouse, Glen Hurst, and Ham Martin are under arrest, having been trailed by bloodhounds, following the robbery of the Consolidation store at

SHAPIRO'S JEWISH-**AMERICAN** RESTAURANT FAMOUS FOR ITS



ASPECIAL FISH DINNER,

Also Jewish Dairy Dishes 812 F N. W.

-to the Beaches and Breakers of the **New Jersey Coast!**

To the inland dweller, summer days by the sea are most desirable. They mean, not only just the needed climatic change, but a complete get away from the scenes and activities of everyday life. They mean the refreshing tang of cool, salt air; foaming waves breaking on white, sandy beaches; gay, pleasure-seeking throngs; surf-bathing, sailing, sea-fishing; great hotels, whose broad verandas look across the ocean to Europe and down on the moving, colorful, human panorama of American life on parade on the fascinating Boardwalks.

There are forty such resorts on the coast of New Jersey, from Atlantic City and Cape May north to Sandy Hook and New York Bay-Wildwood, Ocean City, Beach Haven, Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, Long Branch-many of them world-famous, each just a little different from the other; all of them with a single purpose—to make summer days by the sea Play Days, and helpful days of delight to the millions who live inland.

There's room and a welcome for all! Accommodations to meet any purse.

The United States Railroad Administration invites you to travel and offers Summer Excursion fares. Ask your local ticket agent to help you plan your trip; or, apply to the nearest Consolidated Ticket Office for descriptive booklet-"The New Jersey Seashore"-with a list of hotels; or write to the nearest Travel Bureau.

· United : States · Railroad · Administration ·



Travel Bureau 602 Healey Building Travel Bureau Travel Bureau 143 Liberty Street New York City 646 Transportation Building Chicago Atlanta

have mother cooking in this heat," situation: "Mother," owd add several shock your years to you ou do no more cooking this are the de Mother pride in her When children's yearning appetites cry aloud for sweets, there's a happy answer in

ZU ZU Ginger Snaps, which appease the sweet-tooth craving, yet meet every demand for wholesome nourishment.

> NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

opened Zo Zo mars ch boxes, to The only reas things were not said at was glad. She saw that hert was because the family ran by supplying cleanly baked Zu Zu of Irish Freedom at their last meetout of adjectives.

work on the bill, section by section,

until Monday. Again ardent prohibitionists declared they could not support the enforcement bill because of its provisions, and others contended that once Congress defines intoxicating liquors as a beverage containing onehalf of 1 per cent alcohol the Federal tion by the several States.

Offers Maine as Example.

IN LITTLE RHODE ISLAND

still in the hospital, but they didn't approximately 40,000,000 tons of coal threatened with a coal shortage, is expected to make up the deficit, acwards, tall, skinny and freekled, and cording to a report by George S. Rice,

Labor in the mines in England will Broadway. Despite threats of motor- be reduced from eight to seven hours men, warning taxi horns and good a day, begining July 16, the report natured kidding from the sidewalk states, and by 1920 may reach six crowds, they trudged all the way to hours a day. The seven-hour day Central Park, eyes front, 36-inch step, will mean actually less than six hours' and all the trimmings. When they hours a day. The real labor, for one

> tion of 70,000,000 tons of coal, leav- police are hunting for two eighteening a small margin of 7,000,000 tons year-old colored boys, suspected of for export, if restrictions imposed stealing the team. J. W. Thompson, during the war are removed. If re- of 802 L street northwest, told the ed in the reorganization of the city's strictions are not lifted, the tonnage left for export will be 23,000,000. which will still leave a shortage of

England supplies France, Italy, rance will be benefited by the coal France will be benefitted by the coal fields of Alsace, Lorraine, and the Saar district, although her own fields Several American companies al-

ABERDEEN, Scotland, July 12 .- the man jumped past her into a Field Marshal Haig, urging the necesity of a universal military training about 20 cents and ran. Mrs. Della think we will never have to fight again. We must be prepared."

Resolutions commending The Washington Times for advocating the rights of Irishmen to complete ndependence were adopted by the made of best materials, a saving of ling in Gonzaga College Hall.

of robberies today discloses that more west, reported a waist and silk stock-James C. Lynn, of Whitmore, Lynn

succeeded in making a profit of \$1,000 pocket yesterday at New Jersey avewhen he substituted a paste and chip nue and L street northwest. He ofpiece. Miss Elizabeth Brum, of 5625

ed that she has missed a watch, val ued at \$25. Dr. A. B. Van Sant told the police that \$90 has been taken from his safe. at 1501 Ninth street northwest. A thief entered the home of Miss Itasca Mills, in the Olympia apartments, Fourteenth and Euclid streets,

and stole jewelry worth nearly \$100. she reported yesterday.

CHICAGO, July 12 .- And now a college for policemen. At least that's Automobile equipment figured in the the physical course would include wrestling, boxing, fencing and firing

On the educational side there would be courses in criminolog, and civics, rage was entered last night and three so that the policemen may have a inner tubes were taken. John Capa- full conception of the functions and of 659 Pennsylvania avenue purposes of government and police

> Bonds PRICES

Part Paid Liberty Bond WAR SAVINGS

STAMPS

Without Going Through Any Red Tape We pay interest up to day

Liberty Investment Co. Phone Main 7589 920 F Street N.W.

Open daily \$130 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

stamps until you get our prices.

inquire clsewhere for prices.